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2020 Prospective Planting Summary

Corn

Oats

Barley

Winter Wheat

All Hay

Soybean

Corn Area Planted - Northeastern State and United States: 2019-2021

	Area planted			
State	2019	2020	2021 1	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)
Connecticut	23	24	26	108
Delaware	185	180	170	94
Maine	29	30	27	90
Maryland	510	480	470	98
Massachusetts	14	14	14	100
New Hampshire	12	13	13	100
New Jersey	77	87	85	98
New York	1,020	1,050	1,050	100
Pennsylvania	1,450	1,500	1,480	99
Rhode Island	2	2	2	100
Vermont	81	85	81	95
United States	89,745	90,819	91,144	100

¹ Intended plantings in 2021 as indicated by reports from farmers.

Oat Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2019-2021

[Includes area planted in preceding fall]

	Area planted			
State	2019	2020	2021 1	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)
Maine	22	26	23	88
New York	56	52	47	90
Pennsylvania	85	86	65	76
United States	2,830	2,984	2,488	83

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Winter Wheat Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2019-2021

[Includes area planted in preceding fall]

	Area planted			
State	2019	2020	2021 1	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(percent)
Delaware	60	75	60	80
Maryland	345	355	330	93
New Jersey	19	25	23	92
New York	90	150	150	100
Pennsylvania	180	235	250	106
United States	31,474	30,415	33,078	109

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Barley Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2019-2021

[Includes area planted in preceding fall]

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	Area planted			
State	2019	2020	2021 1	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(percent)
Delaware	21	21	21	100
Maryland	32	34	35	103
New York	10	9	9	100
Pennsylvania	35	45	39	87
United States	2,772	2,621	2,590	99

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All Hay Area Harvested - Northeastern States and United States: 2019-2021

	Area planted			
State	2019	2020	2021 1	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(percent)
Connecticut	47	46	45	97.8
Delaware	14	14	14	100.0
Maine	110	104	104	100.0
Maryland	189	200	210	105.0
Massachusetts	51	60	68	113.3
New Hampshire	49	42	50	119.0
New Jersey	91	106	110	103.8
New York	1,180	1,060	1,080	101.9
Pennsylvania	1,210	1,355	1,350	99.6
Rhode Island	5	5	5	100.0
Vermont	160	167	165	98.8
United States	52,425	52,238	51,714	99.0

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Soybean Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2019-2021

	Area planted			
State	2019	2020	2021 1	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(percent)
Delaware	155	150	165	110
Maryland	480	485	480	99
New Jersey	95	94	105	112
New York	235	315	330	105
Pennsylvania	620	640	640	100
United States	76,100	83,084	87,600	105

¹ Intended plantings in 2021 as indicated by reports from farmers.

U.S Crop Comments

Corn: Growers intend to plant 91.1 million acres of corn for all purposes in 2021, up less than 1 percent from last year.

Oats: Area expected to be seeded to oats for the 2021 crop year is estimated at 2.49 million acres, down 17 percent from 2020. If realized, the United States planted area will be the second lowest on record. Record low planted acreage is expected in Oregon, Pennsylvania, and Texas.

Winter wheat: Area seeded to Durum wheat for 2021 is estimated at 1.54 million acres, down 9 percent from 2020. Acreage increases are expected in Arizona and Montana. Heading of Durum wheat in Arizona was 35 percent complete by March 29.

Barley: Producers intend to seed 2.59 million acres of barley for the 2021 crop year, down 1 percent from the previous year. If realized, this will represent the fourth lowest planted acreage on record. A record low planted acreage is estimated for California, Minnesota, New York, and Wisconsin.

Hay: Producers intend to harvest 51.7 million acres of all hay in 2021, down 1 percent from 2020. If realized, this will represent the lowest total hay harvested area since 1908. Record low all hay harvested area is expected in Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota, Rhode Island, and Wisconsin. Meanwhile, Alaska and Montana are expecting record high acreages.

Soybeans: Growers intend to plant 87.6 million acres in 2021, up 5 percent from last year. Compared with last year, planted acreage intentions are up or unchanged in 23 of the 29 estimating States. Increases of 250,000 acres or more are anticipated in Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin. If realized, the planted area in Kentucky, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, and Wisconsin will be the largest on record.

For the complete "Prospective Planting" report, go to: https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/x633f100h
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